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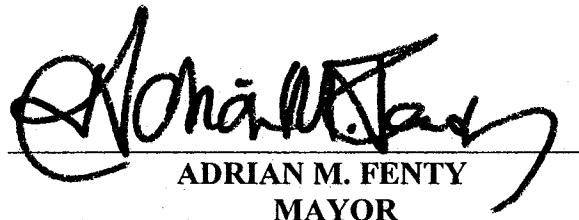
Mayor's Order 2007-62  
March 6, 2007

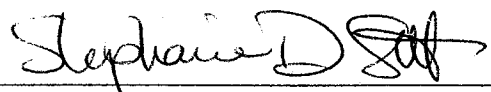
**SUBJECT:** Delegation of Authority to Review and Determine Administrative  
Petitions or Appeals Filed Under the Freedom of Information Act

**ORIGINATING AGENCY:** Office of the Mayor

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the District of Columbia by section 422(6) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act of 1973, as amended, 87 Stat. 790, Pub. L. No. 93-198, D.C. Official Code § 1-204.22(6) (2001), and pursuant to section 2 of the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act of 1976, as amended, effective October 21, 1968, D.C. Law 1-96, D.C. Official Code § 2-537 (2006 Supp.) ("Act"), and 1 DCMR § 412, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. The delegation of authority granted to the General Counsel of the Executive Office of the Mayor in Mayor's Order 2004-205, dated December 29, 2004, and enlarged by Mayor's Order 2005-98, dated June 14, 2005, and further enlarged by Mayor's Order 2005-190, to review and determine administrative petitions or appeals filed pursuant to the Act is hereby enlarged to apply to petitions or appeals filed on or before December 31, 2007.
2. In all other respects, the provisions of Mayor's Order 2004-205 are confirmed.
3. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** This Order shall be effective *nunc pro tunc* to January 2, 2007.

  
ADRIAN M. FENTY  
MAYOR

ATTEST:   
STEPHANIE D. SCOTT  
SECRETARY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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Legal Counsel Division

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Andrew T. "Chip" Richardson, III  
Deputy General Counsel  
Executive Office of the Mayor

**FROM:** Wayne C. Witkowski  
Deputy Attorney General  
Legal Counsel Division

**DATE:** February 27, 2007

**SUBJECT:** Legal Sufficiency Review of Draft Mayor's Order Extending  
Executive Office of the Mayor General Counsel's Handling of FOIA  
Appeals  
(AM-07-122) (MID 195839)

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This memorandum responds to an email request this Office received from your office on February 23, 2007 by which you transmitted the above-referenced draft Mayor's Order (Order) for legal sufficiency review. The Order will extend the existing delegation of the Mayor's authority to review and determine administrative petitions or appeals filed under the Freedom of Information Act of 1976, as amended, effective October 21, 1968, D.C. Law 1-96, D.C. Official Code § 2-537 (2006 Supp.) until December 31, 2007.

The Order is legally sufficient, provided that the technical corrections noted in the attached redlined version of the Order are incorporated into the final version of the Order. For your convenience, I have also attached a final version of the Order. Mr. Clifton Posey, Office of Documents and Administrative Issuances, has certified that the final version of the Order complies with the technical requirements of his office.

If you have any questions about this memorandum, please contact either Assistant Attorney General Anne R. Hollander at 724-5533 or me at 724-5524.

WCW/arh

Attachments